

COUNTRY Germany (Soviet Zone)

REPORT NO. 25X1

TOPIC Ammunition Depot at Toepchin

EVALUATION 25X1

PLACE OBTAINED 25X1

DATE OF CONTENT 1 to 16 October 1951

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1. All German personnel employed at the ammunition depot, Toepchin, were engaged in sorting ammunition under the supervision of Soviet officers, in Bunkers 4 and 6 between 1 and 6 October 1951. The ammunition allegedly was 127-mm shells, with 5 shells per box gross weight 47 kg, and 97-mm shells, with 5 shells per box, gross weight 59 kg. *

2. Almost all officers and NCOs at the depot wore red service color. Only three officers wore green-bordered epauletts and green cap bands. Twenty recruits arrived at the depot on 2 October. Members of the depot administration again said that German women would be employed.

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3. Between 7 and 16 October, the following ammunition shipments

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Date in October	Railroad Cars	Dispatching Station
7	3	Altenhain
8	4	Pinow
13	1	Luckenwalde
16	5	Altengrabow

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Date in October	Railroad Cars	Receiving Station
10	4	Roderau
11	1	Hohenleipisch
16	22	Frankfurt/Oder

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25X1* [] Comment. The information confirms the Soviet ammunition depot,
 25X1 [] at Teopchin until mid-October 1951. []
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 ** [] Comment. A previous report interpreted the inter-supply traffic
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 25X1 that, although an ammunition distributing point [] has been
 25X1 established in Frankfurt/Oder in mid-September 1951, the interchange of
 25X1 shipments between the ammunition depots continued until mid-October 1951.
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